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The following Postal Notice is published for general information.

2. Spare copies of this notice are forwarded to the Anche Mutsaddis for circulation.

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Anche Bakshi.

The route for the correspondence addressed to the United Kingdom *via* Southampton will be abolished after the 1st February 1880, and ordinary and registered correspondence addressed to the United Kingdom and countries served through it will thereafter be forwarded *via* Brindisi at the rates of postage given below.

Soldiers' and Seamen's correspondence prepaid for transmission *via* Brindisi will be forwarded by that route, but such correspondence prepaid at the lower (9 pies) rate will be forwarded from India to the United Kingdom, Gibraltar, Malta, and Cyprus by private vessel. Letters so sent by private vessel cannot be registered and must be prepaid.

2. The revised rates given below will appear in the Postal Abstract to be issued in February next; the Postal Guide, however, will not be re-published before April next.

COUNTRIES, &c. C. denotes compulsory prepayment.	Each letter per ½ oz.	C Each Post-card.	Printed Papers, including Books, &c. C Each Newspaper per 4 ozs.	Printed Papers, including Books, &c. Each Packet per 2 ozs.	Legal and Commercial Documents. Each Packet. Not exceeding 4 ozs.	Legal and Commercial Documents. Each Packet. Per 2 ozs. additional.	Samples. Each Packet. Per 2 ozs.
	As.	As.	As.	As.	As.	As.	As.
United Kingdom *via* Brindisi	4½	2	1½	1½	3	1½	1½
United Kingdom, *soldiers' and seamen's letters only, via* Brindisi*	1¾	...	...	...	...	...	...
United Kingdom, *soldiers' and seamen's letters only, via* Mediterranean Sea*	C ¾	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gibraltar, Malta, and Cyprus, *soldiers' and seamen's letters only, via* Mediterranean Sea	C. ¾	...	...	...	...	...	...
Any Union Country (see list of Union Countries in Postal Abstract) when addressed *via* Brindisi through United Kingdom	C 4½	2	1½	1½	3	1½	1½
Any Union Country by any route except the above† ...	3	1½	1	1	2	1	1
Africa, West Coast, except *Liberia* and *British, French, Spanish, Dutch,* and *Portuguese* Possessions, Ascension, *via* Brindisi through United Kingdom ...	C 9	...	2	2	4	2	2
Cape of Good Hope, Natal, Delagoa Bay, *via* Brindisi through United Kingdom	9	...	2	2	4	2	2
Bolivia, Chili, Ecuador, Nicaragua, *via* Brindisi through United Kingdom	C 14	...	2½	2½	5	2½	2½
Costa Rica, Guatemala, Hayti, United States of Columbia, Uraguay, *via* Brindisi through United Kingdom.	C 14	...	2	2	4	2	2
Hawaii *via* Brindisi through United Kingdom ...	C 6	...	2½	2½	5	2½	2½
Paraguay *via* Brindisi through United Kingdom ...	C 9½	...	3	3	6	3	3
St. Helena, West Indies (other than Union Islands), *via* Brindisi through United Kingdom	14	..	2	2	4	2	2

* Soldiers' or Seamen's letters addressed to countries or places served through the United Kingdom are charged at the rates shewn above; but if the place be *foreign* (*not British*), the letters will be liable to additional foreign postage on delivery.

† The letter rate to Cylon and Persia, however, is two annas per ½ oz. (see Postal Abstract.)

HASSAN DISTRICT.

NOTIFICATION.

The 19th January 1880.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received up to 1st March 1880, by the Superintendent of the Hassan Jail, for the supply by contract of all articles of diet, &c., required for the use of the prisoners in the Hassan Jail, from 1st April 1880 to 31st March 1881, both days inclusive, subject to confirmation by the Inspector General of Jails.

2. No tenders will be received after the date above named.

3. Tenders to be superscribed "Tenders for the supply of provisions for the Hassan Jail."

4. No tenders will be received unless accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 250 in cash or Currency Notes.

5. Tenders will be opened by the Superintendent of the Hassan Jail, at the Jail Office on the date above named, in the presence of such tenderers who may choose to attend.

6. All tenders must specify the rate per convict per diem of the following classes, *viz* :—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Native laboring males, A class			
Do do B do			
Do do C do			
Do non-laboring males, females and under-trial, D. class ..			
Juvenile prisoners			
Sick prisoners			
Europeans and East Indians			

7. The rates tendered must, besides the articles specified in the undermentioned diet scales, include extras to sick, and perishable articles, lamp-oil, lanterns, and repairing the same, soap-nut or sige-kayi for bathing purposes, brooms, bamboos for making baskets and mats, firewood for baking pots, milk, bread, sugar, &c., required for children of female convicts, earthen plates, lotas, sulphur for fumigating cells, fuller's earth, and all other sundry articles exclusive of clothing required to be supplied regularly for the use of the prisoners.

8. The Superintendent reserves to himself the right of rejecting any tender without assigning any reason for so doing.

9. The deposit of the successful competitor will be retained, and will be forfeited if he fails to execute the contract bond, or to furnish security to the amount of Rs. 500 in cash or Government bonds within one week from the date of the acceptance of his contract being made known to him.

10. No advance of cash will be made to the contractor. Payment for the articles supplied will be made by the Superintendent, Hassan Jail, as soon as possible, after the 1st of each month.

11. A store-room will be made over to the contractor in which he can keep all non-perishable articles. Perishable articles such as, meat, &c., must be at the Jail by 7-15 A. M. daily.

12. The contract must not be sublet.

13. A fine not exceeding Rs. 50 will be levied at the discretion of the Superintendent of the Hassan Jail for any infringement of the stipulation of the contract or for the supply of any inferior articles, and if frequently violated, the contract may be annulled and the security confiscated to Government.

14. The decision of the Superintendent of the Hassan Jail to be final in all questions of infringement of contract.

The contractor will be bound to purchase vegetables from the jail garden for the use of the prisoners at a fixed rate of six pies per lb.

15. The contractor will supply ragi grain to be ground by convicts, and it will be issued as flour in accordance with the several rates of diet.

16. Any further information can be obtained by applying to the Superintendent.

Note.—The present strength of the Hassan Jail is 72 prisoners, with an anticipated increase of about 100 during the year.

Table of Diet for all Classes of Prisoners in Mysore.

cles.	A. Scale for men sentenced to more than 2 years' rigorous imprisonment.							B. Scale for men sentenced to more than 6 months and up to 2 years' rigorous imprisonment.							C. Scale for men sentenced to rigorous imprisonment for 6 months and under.							Simple—women, and under-trial.							Juvenile Prisoners.							Sick Prisoners.							Scale of diet for Europeans and East Indians.							
	Monday.	Tuesday.	Wednesday.	Thursday.	Friday.	Saturday.	Sunday.	Monday.	Tuesday.	Wednesday.	Thursday.	Friday.	Saturday.	Sunday.	Monday.	Tuesday.	Wednesday.	Thursday.	Friday	Saturday.	Sunday.	Monday.	Tuesday.	Wednesday.	Thursday.	Friday	Saturday.	Suuday.	Monday.	Tuesday.	Wednesday.	Thursday.	Friday.	Saturday.	Suuday.	Monday.	Tuesday.	Wednesday.	Thursday.	Friday.	Saturday.	Sunday.	Articles.	Monday.	Tuesday.	Wednesday.	Thursday.	Friday.	Saturday.	Sunday.
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ballar...	4	2	4	2	4	2	4	4	2	4	2	4	2	4	3	2	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	2	3	2	3	2	3	2	3	2	3	Coffee ...	12	per week.					
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-oil	...	¼	...	¼	...	¼	⅜	...	¼	...	¼	...	¼	⅜	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	...	1/16	1/16	1/16	...	1/16	1/16	...	¼	...	¼	...	¾	...	Milk ..	1/8	1/8	1/8	1/8	1/8	1/8	1/8
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owder	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	¼	¼	¼	¼	¼	¼	Rolong ...	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
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les ...	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	4	4	4	4	4	4	Firewood ..	32	32	32	32	32	32	32
l ...	2 lbs daily.							2 lbs daily.							2 lbs daily.							2 lbs daily.							2 lbs daily.							2 lbs daily.													

Women and juveniles to get tyre if sentenced over 6 months; under-trial prisoners, tyre and meat if over 2 months in confinemnt.

Rice may be given entirely to any under-trial prisoner unaccustomed to ragi and to any one whom ragi disagrees with, at the recommendation of Medical Officer; juveniles under 14 years to get 16 ozs. of grain and 2 ozs. of meat.

Men who do not eat meat to get 3 ozs. of dál and 8 drams of ghee on meat days.

Men who do not eat meat to get 4 ozs. of dál and 8 drams of ghee on meat days. 2 drams of salt to be issued powdered and eaten when sprinkled over the food.

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